IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of

HARRY W. DIEHL

Art Unit 1205

Serial No.: 08/449,066

Filed: May 24 1995

For: METHOD FOR THE TREATMENT

OF NON-RHEUMATOID

ARTHRITIS

PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL BASED ON APPLICANT'S AGE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.102, appropriate indentified application be given Special Status and advance from for examination.

The basis for this request is applicant's age, which is 85 Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.102, applicant requests that the above-identified application be given Special Status and advance out of turn for examination.

years old.

Applicant's affidavit, verifying his age is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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